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Applicant(s): Tarahomi et al.

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ENERGY ABSORBING EXTERNAL COMPONENT FOR VEHICLE

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**INTRODUCTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: